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Professor Jim's Trials.

"Feel a little stiff, eh, Jim?" asked
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ing they sat in the porch of the old home-
stead.

"Yes; but, I shall sleep as I have not
for months," said the young professor
from C— College. "I have abused my
brains lately; but I hope for much from a
few weeks of outdoor life."

"I see you have some muscle yet, and
this is the main thing; but you'll find it
dull stayin' here—no society for you."

"No, thank heaven!" said the profes-
sor, perfuming the air with a choice
cigar.

"There's the young lady from Boston,"
quoth Mrs. Wilbur, coming to the door.
"The what?" asked "Prof. Jim," as
she called him for politeness' sake.

"Oh, we have taken a summer boarder
—a Miss Emerson, from Boston."

"The deuce you have!" was what the
gentleman wanted to say. He swallowed
it down with the quick thought that, in
hard times a paying visitor might be bet-
ter than a privileged one, and he, being
the last, must not stand in the way of the
first.

"Don't you like Boston ladies?" asked
his sister-in-law.

"Oh, I like everything wonderful in
art and nature; but just now, as the
organ-grinder puts it, 'I know the value
o' peace and quietness.'"

"She won't hurt you—will she?"

"She will talk to me—she can't help it,
'for it is her nature to.' She will start
discussions on the Over-Soul and pre-
Raphaelitism. I want to talk about prize
pigs and dig potatoes, get an appetite
like a savage and wear out my old shirts.
How can I do all that in the atmosphere
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"Easy as not," grunted the farmer.

"No; I'm foiled. I know the race. I
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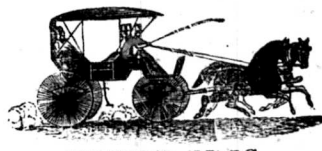
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Near him, as he stood at the fur end of the lot, was a patch of woods, whose long shadows the professor gazing. He could not be said to be very steady hand at farming. He more than once stopped work and played in there among the flickering light and falling acorns, and showed far more enthusiasm over some tiny bit of vegetation than over the pigs he professed to admire.

That day he was planning a slight upon the cornbills which he was hoeing, when—out from a wing of woods darted a figure, which sped by on the wind, and left him with two conflicting ideas—was it an escaped lunatic—was it the farmer's scarecrow, who suddenly felt its life in every limb? For beyond him when he turned was the flit of flying garments streaming from a Atlantis-like figure which fled first in now there, now toward the creek; for a raid upon the cows; now back off again like a tangent; while stretched out before it, and wildly bristled in the air, was a slender wending in a hoop, and a net distal like a balloon.

Ere the astonished professor could take his breath, the ground was smitten by the wand, the balloon flitted over a tant corn-hill capping it like a bee, and the lunatic sank on her knees before it.

"Professor Jim" strode before him, unmeasured amazement, his whole tone animated interrogation point, reached the spot, and at the first glance, would fain have retreated; but was too late. It was the young from Boston. She had seen him, had marked him for her own. What was doing was a mystery; but she he on closer proximity, was not at all a scarecrow, whatever might be said of a lunatic question. The puffs and flour and sashes of her buff morning had been all adroit on the morning but now settled about her like a cardinal's ruffled plumage. Her shrouded cape hung from her neck, which had tumbled her light brown and what could be seen of her face under a sun-hat the size of a Chinese pagoda was not at all ugly. Her lips and clear grey eyes were all with eagerness.

"I was determined I'd have him? cried, with a glance at Prof. Jim's sleeves. "Such a splendid fellow chased him over three stone walls, around and around the woods. I want your help in putting ether to nose."

A wild fancy shot through the professor's head; that he had so over his brain, that dreadful hallucinations were coming upon him. He gasped for "Whose nose?"
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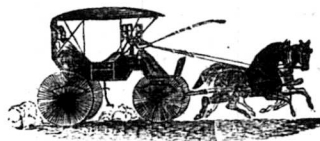
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By that time she had the butterf tween her pretty thumb and foref while the professor was applying ether, very deftly, indeed for a hand.

"You are not a bit clumsy?" sh claimed. "Dear me! Why don't I he struggles so! I thought they liked it. My teacher said they squirmed once and gave up the— Oh, soak the cotton, or I shall let go!"

"Keep cool," said Prof. Jim. E started to say in official tones, "B ete;" but remembering his 'role,' ded: "He'll kick the bucket in ab second."

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The Young Boston Lady.

Professor Jim's Trials.

"Feel a little stiff, eh, Jim?" asked Farmer Wilbor of his brother, as at evening they sat in the porch of the old homestead.

"Yes; but, I shall sleep as I have not for months," said the young professor from C— College. "I have abused my brains lately; but I hope for much from a few weeks of outdoor life."

"I see you have some muscle yet, and this is the main thing; but you'll find it dull stayin' here—no society for you."

"No, thank heaven!" said the professor, perfuming the air with a choice cigar.

"There's the young lady from Boston," quoth Mrs. Wilbor, coming to the door.

"The what?" asked "Prof. Jim," as she called him for politeness' sake.

"Oh, we have taken a summer boarder—a Miss Emerson, from Boston."

"The deuce you have!" was what the gentleman wanted to say. He swallowed it down with the quick thought that, in hard times a paying visitor might be better than a privileged one, and he, being the last, must not stand in the way of the first.

"Don't you like Boston ladies?" asked his sister-in-law.

"Oh, I like everything wonderful in art and nature; but just now, as the organ-grinder puts it, 'I know the value of peace and quietness.'"

"She won't hurt you—will she?"

"She will talk to me—she can't help it, for it is her nature to." She will start discussions on the Over-Soul and pre-Raphaelitism. I want to talk about prize pigs and dig potatoes, get an appetite like a savage and wear out my old shirts. How can I do all that in the atmosphere of a young lady from Boston?"

"Easy as not," grunted the farmer.

"No; I'm foiled. I know the race. I had hoped to be at rest—to flee to some spot where 'where' (with a salutation to the farmer) 'only man is vile.'"

"Don't let her know," suggested Mrs. Wilbor, "that you have an 'idea' on your head in these subjects. We can pass you off as a farm-hand, hired for the busy season."

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peremptorily, as if Jim had been torturing the little wretch quite on his own account. "I can't hurt him so!" and suddenly uplifting her hand, she gently released the prisoner, who had not been at all overcome with the odor, and who now floated like a frog let loose from a lily-bell.

"If that is what I must do for a collection, I shall never have one. I am much obliged to you."

As he turned to go—giving her back the bottle—he caught sight of the cloudless blue over her, of the sleepy cattle in the low, slashing water of the green flats shimmering in the sunshine.

"Is it not all perfect?" she added looking directly into his face, with her clear eyes full of admiration. Had the veriest clodhopper been in his place, that appeal for innocent sympathy, would have touched him into a sense of kinship with nature and the young girl. Her gentle dismissal a moment later pleased him also, and he went back, thinking as he trod the plowed ground, "So this is the young lady from Boston—yes, a lady, and I like her just as well that she could not finish the 'poor little devil of a bug,' as Pat would call it. Then he laughed.

"How she turned on him too when he struggled, quite as if I had done the pinching—that is the woman of it! Butterfly collections hobby first—and that is the Boston of it. Well, I shall have amusement, mayhap."

"Mrs Wilbor, that dark complexioned young farmer of yours has an intelligent face." It was Miss Emerson who spoke, and sat one evening with the farmer's wife. On this occasion her hair was exquisitely smooth and faultless, and her manner repose itself.

"Yes, Jim isn't wooden headed. He always had a hankering after learning."

"Can he read and write?"

"Mercy, yes; child? every New England fellow can do that and more."

"Of course. Well—is he much of a reader?"

"Pretty considerable—newspapers and what he picks up. He never will be satisfied that he knows enough."

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Often James used to sit near by and smoke very good-smelling cigars on the piazza. She surprised him one day reading "Ivanho," which she had dropped there; and, again intent on his mental culture, she encouraged him to read aloud. It was pleasant for her and good for him; so, day after day he read Scott.

Each time when he had ended, and gone away, she had wondered he had read so simply well, she had forgotten the reader; only sometime, looking up she had caught him looking at her so—well, so strangely; it was intensely respectful, but peculiar.

When one day reading a love scene, his voice fell and trembled, she said to herself, "He must have a sensitive nature."

She mused a while, and firmly resolved to cease her efforts in behalf of this young man. She might be making trouble for him. One caught human butterflies, sometimes, when one never thought of chasing them. Then, they suffered if you held them tightly, and it was not a legal method of getting rid of them to hold them under their noses until they died.

After this resolution Prof. Jim did not see the young lady for a week. She took her meals at quite irregular hours, and sat no more on the piazza. He was therefore off his guard, and one day peering in the kitchen where Mrs. Wilbor fried potatoes, he fell into the deepest of reveries.

"What are you planning Prof? You have not taken your eyes of the copper tea-kettle for ten minutes."

"My dear sister, I was recalling to mind a line of Virgil—*Omnia vincit amor, et nos cedamus amori.*"

"I know all about it now," said Sarah, who was not a Bostonian, and so did not understand Latin.

Prof. Jim laughed gleefully, and went out. Miss Emerson, who had overheard the unlucky quotation came in.

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It is needless to say that Mrs. Wilbor had to tell; and if ever two eyes gleamed with wrath, the two grey orbs pertaining to the Boston lady were the very ones. She grew every moment more irate.

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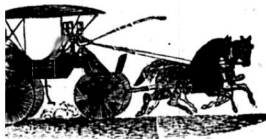
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the twittering of some restless bird among
the branches.

"I suppose you are weary after your
day's work, James," said Miss Emerson,
kindly.

"Yes, ma'am," meekly returned Prof.
Jim. He had spent most of this day on
his back in the woods, evolving ideas for
an article in the "Fall Quarterly."

"And so you have little time for read-
ing, of which Mrs. Wilbor tells me you
are very fond?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"What kind of books do you like best,
James?"

"Them as has the most in 'em," said
the professor, with an atrocious attempt
to fall into a dialect.

"Ah, very true! Did you ever read
Froissart's Chronicles?"

James knew that to be in character he
had best say no; but he remembered the
father of his country, and compromised
by saying: "I've heard it spoken of."

This surprised Miss Emerson; she grew
enthusiastic to develop this young man,
who seemed to have such an attentive and
retentive mind. She went on drawing
him out, and finally offered to send home
for some books, which she was sure would
interest him. Averse to making her
needless trouble, and yet not knowing
how to deter her, the professor took from
his pocket a pencil and paper, and had the
wit to say he could put down their names
and get them from an excellent free library
in the near town.

"Let me see the list, please?" she asked.
"Have you them all rightly named?"
She scanned his writing, wondering how
he had spelled all so exactly. "You write
like a minister, James—or an editor," she
added, with a smile that could not hurt
his feelings; "but such men are seldom
plain writers. I could suggest a few
changes for the better in your letters;
your t's and l's are alike; your m's and
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James received these hints with grate-
ful meekness, while Miss Emerson, upon
further conversation, was sure he must
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She wondered, suddenly, if he did not
eagerly desire to study Latin. Why he
should, it would have puzzled a Philadel-
phia lawyer to explain, but the young
lady from Boston failed to understand
how a man could know much and not
have this same hunger and thirst; and so
she, then and there, proposed to teach
him the rudiments.

When Prof. Jim went to bed that night
he felt that he deserved to be hanged;
but he was bound that hanged he would
be before he would confess to this sweet-
tempered, benevolent girl that he was an
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That day he was planning a similar slight upon the cornbills which he was hoeing, when—out from a wing of the woods darted a figure, which sped by him on the wind, and left him with two conflicting ideas—was it an escaped lunatic?—was it the farmer's scarecrow, who of a sudden felt its life in every limb? For, beyond him when he turned was the flutter of flying garments streaming from the Atlanta-like figure which fled first here, now there, now toward the creek, as if for a raid upon the cows; now back and off again like a tangent; while ever stretched out before it, and wildly brandished in the air, was a slender wand, ending in a hoop, and a net distended like a balloon.

Ere the astonished professor could draw his breath, the ground was smitten with the wand, the balloon flitted over a distant corn-hill capping it like a bee-hive, and the lunatic sank on her knees before it.

"Professor Jim" strode before it in unmeasured amazement, his whole being one animated interrogation point, he reached the spot, and at the first near glance, would fain have retreated; but it was too late. It was the young lady from Boston. She had seen him, and had marked him for her own. What she was doing was a mystery; but she herself, on closer proximity, was not at all like a scarecrow, whatever might be said of the lunatic question. The puffs and flounces and sashes of her buff morning dress had been adrift on the morning breeze, but now settled about her like a canary bird's ruffled plumage. Her scarlet hooded cape hung from her neck, into which had tumbled her light brown hair, and what could be seen of her face from under a sun-hat the size of a Chinese pagoda was not at all ugly. Cheeks, lips and clear grey eyes were all aglow with eagerness.

"I was determined I'd have him?" she cried, with a glance at Prof. Jim's shirt sleeves. "Such a splendid fellow! I chased him over three stone walls, and around and around the woods. Now I want your help in putting ether to his nose."

A wild fancy shot through the professor's head; that he had so overworked his brain, that dreadful hallucinations were coming upon him. He gasped faintly, "Whose nose?"

The young girl's laugh was like the quick clang of silver bells; then she daintily peeped into the balloon, whispering:

"My beautiful blue butterfly's of course. Now you stay here one moment, Farmer Wilbor won't scold. I'll tell him I hindered you. Hold this ether bottle and bit of cotton, while I take the poor fellow carefully out. Please put your other hand on the stick—steady now! Here he comes! Oh, you beauty, don't flutter so—you break my heart with pity! There now, won't you just hold that cotton quickly to his nose, and it will be over in a moment."

By that time she had the butterfly between her pretty thumb and forefinger, while the professor was applying the ether, very deftly, indeed for a farm-hand.

"You are not a bit clumsy?" she exclaimed. "Dear me! Why don't he die, he struggles so! I thought they rather liked it. My teacher said they first squirmed once and gave up the ghost. Oh, soak the cotton, or I shall let him go!"

"Keep cool," said Prof. Jim. He had started to say in official tones, "Be calm etc.," but remembering his "role," he added: "He'll kick the bucket in about a second."

"He is kicking me and I know he snif-fers. I wish I had never caught him! Take the cotton off his nose!" she added

"I suppose you are weary after your day's work, James," said Miss Emerson, kindly.

"Yes, ma'am," meekly returned Prof. Jim. He had spent most of this day on his back in the woods, evolving ideas for an article in the "Fall Quarterly."

"And so you have little time for reading, of which Mrs. Wilbor tells me you are very fond?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"What kind of books do you like best, James?"

"Them as has the most in 'em," said the professor, with an atrocious attempt to fall into a dialect.

"Ah, very true! Did you ever read Froissart's Chronicles?"

James knew that to be in character he had best say no; but he remembered the father of his country, and compromised by saying: "I've heard it spoken of."

This surprised Miss Emerson; she grew enthusiastic to develop this young man, who seemed to have such an attentive and retentive mind. She went on drawing him out, and finally offered to send home for some books, which she was sure would interest him. Averse to making her needless trouble, and yet not knowing how to deter her, the professor took from his pocket a pencil and paper, and had the wit to say he could put down their names and get them from an excellent free library in the near town.

"Let me see the list, please?" she asked. "Have you them all rightly named?" She scanned his writing, wondering how he had spelled all so exactly. "You write like a minister, James—or an editor," she added, with a smile that could not hurt his feelings; "but such men are seldom plain writers. I could suggest a few changes for the better in your letters; your t's and s's are alike; your m's and n's are flat and run out to nothing."

James received these hints with grateful meekness, while Miss Emerson, upon further conversation, was sure he must have a very good "common education." She wondered, suddenly, if he did not eagerly desire to study Latin. Why he should, it would have puzzled a Philadelphia lawyer to explain, but the young lady from Boston failed to understand how a man could know much and not have this same hunger and thirst; and so she, then and there, proposed to teach him the rudiments.

When Prof. Jim went to bed that night he felt that he deserved to be hanged; but he was bound that hanged he would be before he would confess to this sweet-tempered, benevolent girl that he was an imposter. Why he had actually agreed to take his first (!) Latin lesson to-morrow night. For three evenings he avoided Miss Emerson, and she thought him occupied with work. On the fourth she caught him at leisure, and brought forth an old Latin grammar she had found in the garret. He blindly repeated after her everything she said, and left her in doubt whether he had the memory of a prodigy or only the tongue of a parrot; he did not "go at the thing like a beginner."

Jim endured it three nights, and could no more. What with playing his part, keeping watch of himself, and seeing her bright eyes bent on him, her white hands fluttering with the dainty handkerchief or clasped in playful and encouraging applause as some forgetful and so remarkably fine effort of his, it was too much.

He engaged Farmer Wilbor to send him into town every night, until Miss Emerson saw that he was not over eager to learn Latin. It was a litter damper on her efforts in behalf of a young man who, as she told Mrs. Wilbor, had "intelligent eyes and an entire absence of coarseness."

She did not talk much to him after that, but amused herself all day long rioting like a happy child among the bees and flowers, following the willow-bordered creek, bringing wonderful rustic treasures from the woods, and, in short, getting the full benefit of an outdoor life.

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"Will you not tell me, by just one word, if I am forgiven?"

The heart of that young lady, who could not kill a butterfly, relented, and she said, "Yes."

"Jim" was tenderly kissing the little right hand that held the insect when Mrs. Wilbor enlightened the scene with a tall candle, which blew out in the wind.

The next day, however, he did as Dickens' fat boy said, "worse nor that," for Mrs. Wilbor saw him through a crack in the sitting-room door, end a two-hour interview with a kiss, as she told her own spouse, "square on Miss Emerson's lips! Think of that, now!"

"I have thought," said her phlegmatic lord. "That's nothin'. I saw from the first it would be a go!"

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Each time when he had ended, and gone away, she had wondered he had read so simply well, she had forgotten the reader; only sometime, looking up she had caught him looking at her so—well, so strangely; it was intensely respectful, but peculiar.

When one day reading a love scene, his voice fell and trembled, she said to herself, "He must have a sensitive nature."

She mused a while, and firmly resolved to cease her efforts in behalf of this young man. She might be making trouble for him. One caught human butterflies, sometimes, when one never thought of chasing. Then, they suffered if you held them tightly, and it was not a legal method of getting rid of them to hold either under their noses until they died.

After this resolution Prof. Jim did not see the young lady for a week. She took her meals at quite irregular hours, and sat no more on the piazza. He was therefore off his guard; and one day peering in the kitchen where Mrs. Wilbor fried potatoes, he fell into the deepest of reveries.

"What are you planning Prof? You have not taken your eyes of the copper tea-kettle for ten minutes."

"My dear sister, I was recalling to mind a line of Virgil—*Omnia vincit amor, et nos cedamus amori.*"

"I know all about it now," said Sarah, who was not a Bostonian, and so did not understand Latin.

Prof. Jim laughed gleefully, and went out. Miss Emerson, who had overheard the unlucky quotation came in.

"Mrs. Wilbor, who is that man?"

It is needless to say that Mrs. Wilbor had to tell; and if ever two eyes gleared with wrath, the two grey orbs pertaining to the Boston lady were the very ones. She grew every moment more irate.

"Think of it, I teaching a college professor easy Latin out of a primer, and he submitting rather than to have to make my acquaintance. He shall never have that annoyance or fear—never—never again!"

Poor Jim! He was wretched thereafter. He made every attempt consistent with any sort of dignity, to effect a reconciliation; but she disdained to even answer Mrs. Wilbor, who he implored to act as a mediator.

The time set for her return to Boston came on apace, and the professor began to pass sleepless nights; but, inexorably to the last, Miss Emerson refused even to see him.

She chose a day when he had gone away, and in spite of a threatened storm insisted on going home in the evening train.

She had gone about a half an hour when he returned, and nothing had so depressed him for years as the fact of

WAYS AND MEANS.

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Why do ladies bid their servants say that they are not at home, when they are engaged or unwilling to see visitors?

Why do actors grumble that the drama is going to the dogs, when they mean that they themselves are not in favor with the public?

Why do men tell their wives that they will be detained by business, when they really mean to be detained by a club dinner?

Why do women bid their husbands escort them to Broadway, when they really mean to make them pay for a new bonnet?

Why do singers speak with diffidence of the powers of their voice, when they mean to swallow greedily all the compliments you give them?

Why do innkeepers often call their country-house a "little place," when they mean to show you a palatial residence?

Why does your friend tell you "any togethery will do," when he means himself to sport a dress suit and white choker?

Why do china dealers name so preposterous a price, when they mean to jump at less than half if they be offered it?

Why do pianists complain that they are sadly out of practice when they are asked to play, while in reality they mean they want more pressing, and they will gladly yield to it?

"NOW IS THE TIME."

Now is the time when all contemplate the approach of the Christmas holidays.

Now is the time when turkeys and geese are beheaded to gratify the palates of us creatures of humanity.

Now is the time when mince pies are considered one of the necessities of household decorations.

Now is the time when juveniles save up their coppers to have a 'big time' at Christmas.

Now is the time when 'Hot Scotch' is taken in as fuel by anti-prohibitionists.

Now is the time when merchants expect a rush of business; and the wise use printer's ink liberally.

Now is the time when single young ladies light a fire in the parlor of evenings and await the coming of their—cousins, of course.

Now is the time when 'The good-by at the door,' is said quickly. The season for 'swinging on the gate' is over.

Now is the time when the average man goes around with some benumbed fingers, while he keeps his gloves warm in his pocket.

Now is the time when 'do-nothings' stand on the sunny side of the street, and smoke bad cigars to keep warm.

Now is the time when young men join the temperance lodge, for the furtherance of the cause—and to see the fair ones home.

Now is the time when the family man uses his spare time in 'fixing up' the house against the approach of King Winter.

SKATING.

FROM CHADWICK AND WALKER.

Up to a period within the past ten years, skating, in this country, was confined to boys and young men, who found time to avail themselves of the favorable condition of the ice ponds, streams, and rivers, in the vicinity of their homes; and to those of the adult population who, on holiday excursions, would include in an hour or two's exercise on skates, provided a snow-storm had not closed up the ponds, and shut them out from all facilities for enjoying the sport. Since the opening of enclosed skating localities, skating has become one of the most popular exercises in vogue—in fact it has passed down into a regular Canadian institution, and one into which both sexes enter with the characteristic spirit and "vim" of our people. Especially have the fair sex become enamored of it. Ten years ago a lady on skates was not only a rare and novel sight in this vicinity, but any fair one, "native and to the manner born," who in such a way would have dared to brave the opinion of 'her set' and to have outraged their sense of feminine propriety by appearing in public on skates, would have been driven forth from the sacred circles of the then fashionable coteries in disgrace. Now the very reverse is the case, for the selfsame fair one is now tabooed as "slow," and not "up to the times" if she can not do the "outside circle" or the "grape-vine twist" on skates in the best style of the art. Now, too, every girl not afflicted with weak ankles, thin or crooked nether limbs, or positive physical inability to exercise herself on skates, is uneasy and dissatisfied unless enjoying herself on the ice. The fact is, however, that Canadian women have been so much excluded from any participation in the out-door amusements and exercises which the European ladies enjoy to such a wholesome extent, that it is not to be wondered at that when the door to such recreation is opened to them, they should rush into ecstasies of delight, or go to extremes in the enjoyment of the too long prohibited pleasure.

SKATING IN A PHYSIOLOGICAL POINT OF VIEW.

The sanitary benefits accruing from skating are considerable, and especially has it, in this respect, been advantageous to the fair sex. The prominent cause of the delicate and sickly constitutions of the majority of our ladies arises from their great neglect of out-door exercise and recreation. Two-thirds of their lives are passed in the artificial and poisonous atmosphere of their furnace-heated and poorly-ventilated apartments. The result is the prevention of the exhalation of carbon and inhalation of oxygen which are of such vital importance to the health of every human being. This requisite action of the lungs in the reception of the life-giving elements of the air we breathe and the expulsion of the refuse carbon from the blood, is never better promoted than when the individual is engaged in the vigorous exercise of skating, and inhaling the oxygen of the pure, frosty air, at the same time bringing into activity every muscle of the body, and giving life to the dormant functions of the skin.

Exercise, to be beneficial, should have the effect of increasing the insensible perspiration, for in the increase of the circulation of the blood to the surface of the body, and the consequent relief given to the over-worked functions of the lungs and bowels, lies the great benefit of exercise. It is from the lack of this circulation of the blood to the surface of the body that people, unaccustomed to out-door exercise, take cold so readily. Those in whom the functions of the skin are in active play know not what a cold is, and hence the hardihood of those constantly in the open air, and actively exercised, in comparison to those engaged in sedentary occupations, and who scarcely know what exercise is. Frequenters of the

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The heart of that young lady, who could not kill a butterfly, relented, and she said, "Yes."

"Jim" was tenderly kissing the little right hand that held the insect when Mrs. Wilbor enlightened the scene with a tallow candle, which blew out in the wind.

The next day, however, he did as Dickens' fat boy said, "worse nor that," for Mrs. Wilbor saw him, through a crack in the sitting-room door, end a two-hour interview with a kiss, as she told her own spouse, "square on Miss Emerson's lips! Think of that, now!"

"I have thought," said her phlegmatic lord. "That's nothin'. I saw from the first it would be a go!"

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The speaker at an anniversary meeting mournfully said, "One by one our friends are passing from us into the land of shadows."

"Well!" exclaimed an old lady, "you wouldn't have 'em go two by two, or all in a huddle would you?"

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"Is it net time that you paid me that five dollars!" said a farmer to his neighbor.

The book keeper who fell from a column of figures is still in a critical state.

DIRECTORY.

TRAVELLER'S GUIDE.

PER O. T. RAILWAY.

Day Train, Going East	12:56 p.m.
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The Post Office is open from 8 a. m. till 6 p. m.
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Churches.

HOURS OF SERVICE

Episcopal Methodist—Rev. R. M. Pope. Service 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sunday School 2 p. m.
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In several of the Southern States it is well known that terrorism reigned to a considerable extent. In those counties, where Negro voters were numerous, it is said that not one ballot was cast by them simply because the whole Democrats gave them to understand that if they attempted to vote they might count the cost and fail in the attempt. No doubt there were other counties where the whites are in minority and the same kind of intimidation was used towards them. In Canada where our governmental authority is better recognized and better enforced, and where our whole electoral system is more thoroughly understood, it is found difficult enough to secure a fair election, and we can well understand how it must be with the loose system prevailing among our neighbors. We can well see, too, how undesirable, in practice, is the much lauded system of electing the Chief Magistrate of the nation by a popular vote of the people.

THE ONTARIO ELECTION ACT.

The long protest trial in the County of Lincoln has, at last resulted in the unseating of Mr. Charles Ryckart, both of the judges setting on the case being of the opinion that sufficient corrupt practices had been brought to light in connection with the last election to warrant them in declaring the election void. Some weeks was spent in hearing the appeal in connection with this case, and in the scrutiny of the ballots, and the amount of corrupt practices brought to light in connection with both candidates—Ryckart and Neelon—was truly disgraceful in that it was the second election for that county since the former Parliament was dissolved. At the general election Mr. Neelon, the Reform candidate was declared elected by a slim majority over Mr. Ryckart, and a protest was entered in consequence of which the election was declared void because of corrupt practices. At the second election Ryckart was declared victorious by a majority of a little over twenty, and that, in turn was appealed against because of corruption—an appeal which the judges decided to be well founded. Both have been unseated and both will probably enter again into a contest for the future representation.

The trial has brought more fully to eight than before the defects and advantages of the election law of this Province. Our Provincial law differs from that of the Dominion in the one particular that every ballot is numbered and corresponds with a number entered on the books of the returning officer opposite the name of the voter using it. In case a scrutiny of the votes is deemed necessary, as in the Lincoln case, the ballots may be produced and examined, and fraudulent vote rejected. In this case it turns out that Ryckart, though having a majority of the ballots cast was not proved to have received an actual majority of legal votes. It would certainly be a hardship for the legally elected representative to be deprived of his seat because of bogus voters on the other side. The wisdom of the provision of numbering the ballots seems to

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But there is no need nor advantage in importing into the municipal council boards the rancour of political strife. A glance at the proceedings of a township council reported in any local paper will show at a glance how little can possibly arise to cause even a division of opinion, to say nothing of political discords; and the very admirable manner in which local affairs are usually conducted is largely owing to men at the council table sinking all political differences and giving their undivided attention to the honest discharge of the duties before them. While, therefore, it is inevitable that Reformers in Ontario will have a preponderating influence in municipal affairs, as they have in the respective Legislatures, the grand object to be kept in view by the electors of both parties should be the return of those who, at the end of their year of office, are likely to give the best account of their stewardship.—Globe

MILL POINT.

(From our own Correspondent.)

One birth,—Mrs. Brown,—a boy.
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KINGSTON.

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Municipal politics are hot. Every ward has warm work in prospect. In Victoria Ward there are eight candidates.

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Authorized discount on American in voices 8 per cent.

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Potatoes are being bought in large quantities, and stored for spring plant, and high prices.

The usual 'Xmas Tree is looked forward to eagerly, by all the Sunday School hollars.

Chiefs Culbertson and W. Green, are giving orders for the Mohawks. A ninth is after them sharp.

Our village anvil rings merrily from morn till late at night. What has come over the spirit of his dreams? Is making up for lost time?

A new millinery establishment has opened out in our village, offering all the newest and latest styles in all those "nice little things" the ladies admire so much.

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KINGSTON.

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Municipal politics are hot. Every ward has warm work in prospect. In Victoria Ward there are eight candidates.

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EDINBURGH, Dec. 1.—Col. J. A. MacDonald, Captain of the Scottish rifle team, which recently visited the United States, has been appointed Solicitor-General for Scotland.

A special from Berlin to the *Times* says:—An order, which is in preparation, for calling out all the Russians under 50 years of age, is regarded as proof that the Government is preparing for all contingencies, and has depressed the St. Petersburg Bourse.

FRANCE.—President MacMahon has declined to accept the resignation of his Ministry—for the present at least—and a Cabinet meeting was held yesterday to discuss the situation. The report of the resignation of the entire Cabinet is confirmed. Previous to resigning the Government withdrew the obnoxious Bill relating to military escorts at funerals of members of the Legion of Honor. Another report states that the resignation of the Ministers will be announced to-day.

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able despatch from London announces the death of the Rev. George Dawson, the well-known popular lecturer, who visited this country last year with much success in the minds of many. Mr. Dawson was born in London in 1821, and was educated for the Baptist ministry. He completed his course of study at Glasgow, where he graduated M.A., and shortly after was appointed to the charge of a chapel in Nottingham. His connection with this congregation was not, however, of long duration, a difference having arisen between him and his people as to certain peculiarities of their pastor's ministrations, and in consequence, Mr. Dawson being expelled by the larger portion of his flock. He once commenced the erection of a chapel, which was opened in 1874. He was rather a lecturer than a minister, and Mr. Dawson made his reputation outside of the circle that gathered around his ministry. He was also for a considerable time connected with the having at one time been the principal editor of the Birmingham Daily Press, and on having assumed the editorial management of the Birmingham Morning News, a Liberal daily which made its first appearance in 1871.

NEWS CONDENSED.

Authorized discount on American in 8 per cent.

Old horse was sold in Ottawa on 7 last for 50cts.

Miramichi, (N. B.) has shipped 1 million feet of lumber more this year than last.

Preparations to repel a Fenian raid in San Francisco, have been made at San Francisco, B. C.

Establishment of a French Protestant day school, on a large scale in Montreal, is being effected.

Prisoners escaped in the early part of last week from the gaol at York, N. S. None of them have been recaptured.

Great bank robbery trial at Halifax has been brought to a close. The defendants, being unable to agree, have been acquitted.

Daily consumption of water in Halifax has been lessened by one and a half millions of gallons, through the inspections, &c.

Charges against Joy and Glass, the Bank embezzlers, are to be brought by the Crown. Joy is believed to be the ringleader.

Merchants exhibiting their goods in Sydney, N. S. W., Exhibition have been invited to exhibit at Melbourne. He Sydney one closes.

Gravestone snatchers are again at work at Montreal; this time digging three bodies from the Cote Des Neiges Cemetery. No Catholic clergy are horrified sacrilege.

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Geo. Brown celebrated his 58th birthday on Wednesday. A number of guests were with him.

Admirals are at work over the council a close watch is being ordered to keep at all houses.

Prohibition meetings are being held in Toronto. The temperance people are active and pushing their cause.

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Ice on the Lake.

Vessel Captains report that ice has already formed on Lake Ontario, near the Ducks.

The Nobbiest Over Coating to be had at DAVIS & BRO'S.

Another Skating Rink.

Messrs. Furs and Caulder have leased McGinniss' Land Rink, and will open it shortly.

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Extra Numbers.

Of the EXPRESS for sale at J. Henderson's Bookstore, or at our office, Warner's Block, East Street.

Men's Ulster Beaver Coats to order for \$12. DAVIS & BRO.

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The Band Boys, "balanced to their partners" on Thursday night of last week, in the Town Hall.

Our Scotch Tweed Suits at \$20, beats anything in town. DAVIS & BRO.

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Although the weather is cold, and navigation has fairly closed, there are a few vessels still plying the great lakes.

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A telegram from Montreal on the 2nd state that Mr Joseph MacKay has donated a \$100,000 property to the Protestant deaf mute institution.

Killed on the G. T. R.

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Mute Marriage.

The News says one of the persons recently married near Kingston was both deaf and dumb. The clergyman was obliged to write out the questions to which assent was given. But the question is, how did he do his courting?

Street Lamps.

The street lamps in front of the Paisley House, and the one at the Soby House corner were completed Tuesday afternoon, and gas turned on the same evening. The remainder of the lamps will be finished and ready for use in a few days.

The Skating

On the free rink is good. The ice is from 2 to 3 inches thick, and quite safe. A large number of boys and young men were to be seen skating last Sunday which would give a stranger the impression that there were no places of worship, or Sunday schools, in Napanee.

Personal.

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Burglary.

On last Friday night, some party or parties effected an entrance to Messrs. Davis Bro's. store, through a door in the rear, and carried off a suit of clothes, including an ulster overcoat. No trace of the thieves has yet been discovered.

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Presidential Election.

Per Dominion Telegraph Co., Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—President Grant has just received a despatch from General Lew Wallace, at Tallahassee, Florida, stating that Florida has gone for Hayes by 930 majority, and also elected Republican Governor, Liet. Governor, and both Republican members of Congress.

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Masonic.

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J. Vanslaine released of his as his dog had been poisoned after assessed.

A petition from F. McPherson and others, asking for remuneration for land taken up by the town, to Finance Committee. J. Sagers for relief from payment of taxes, to the Finance Committee. W. len's petition also referred to the Committee.

The Street Committee to enquire W. Elliott's claim, for breaking a fall.

Mr. R. McCay's collectors roll and referred to Finance Committee appropriated to pay Mr. McCay.

Mr. Huffman allowed further give in his Finance Committee Mr. Henry & Bros., account for referred to the Printing Committee account of the McMullen estate to be paid.

Street pay list amounting to passed.

Mr. Gleason to have \$3 per sheep killed by dogs.

The Fire and Water to exercise judgement in the matter of putting an extension fire ladder.

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Tea Meeting.

The Soiree in the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening, was a grand success. The tables in the basement of the church, where the edibles were provided, were filled twice, and everyone partook of the good things furnished in a hearty manner. After the edibles were disposed of, all adjourned to the main body of the church to hear the speeches. The platform was occupied by the Rev. Mr. Young, our resident minister. Mr. Blackstock the C. M. Minister, Mr. Burton, of the Thomas Street Presbyterian Church, Belleville, and Mr. M. McLean, of St. Andrews Church Belleville, an array of talent such as is seldom brought together at one time. Mr. Young, after some ap-

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YACHTING.

The Countess of Dufferin still remains unsold, and Major Gifford, it is staid, is likely to be a heavy loser spirited undertaking to whip the lion yacht of the New York Club properly sailed and trimmed, the American authorities agree the Countess could next year give the serious trouble. Under these circumstances we are not surprised to hear several gentlemen have it in contemplation to buy and equip the Countess what is sure to turn out a more full trial of her speed. The price for her is so moderate that we in

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1875.		1876.	
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Other woods.	4,765	Other Woods.	4,233
	\$11,915		\$39,743
ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCE.		ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCE.	
Horses, one.	\$200	Horned Cattle, 52.	\$615
Beacon.	160	Butter.	79
Hides.	190		649
	\$550		
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.		AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.	
Barley and Rye, 137,257 bush.	\$121,385	Barley and Rye, 101,385, bush.	\$81,870
Other articles.	\$400	Vegetables.	7
	\$121,785		\$81,877
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At the session of the School Board, on Wednesday evening last, out of forty applications, many of them from excellent teachers, the Board selected Mr. Willis Chipman, B. A., of Applied Science, McGill University, Montreal. Mr. Chipman's rank as a mathematician and scientist, is probably the most brilliant of any student of McGill, as he obtained this year in graduating, no less than nine first classes, besides a special certificate of merit. He has also had experience as a public school teacher, and is highly recommended as a teacher. We are glad to learn that the staff of the high school is to be so ably sustained, and wish Mr. Chipman the highest success in his new sphere.

Tea Meeting.

The Soiree in the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening, was a grand success. The tables in the basement of the church, where the edibles were provided, were filled twice, and everyone partook of the good things furnished in a hearty manner. After the edibles were disposed of, all adjourned to the main body of the church to hear the speeches. The platform was occupied by the Rev. Mr. Young, our resident minister. Mr. Blackstock the C. M. Minister, Mr. Burton, of the Thomas Street Presbyterian Church, Belleville, and Mr. M. McLean, of St. Andrews Church Belleville, an array of talent such as is seldom brought together at one time. Mr. Young, after some appropriate remarks introduced, Rev. Mr. Burton who gave what he called his Centennial speech, which contained an immense amount of information, and was listened to with marked interest. How he managed to encompass so much, in such a short space of time, was really astonishing. The Rev. Mr. McLean, next addressed the meeting in that logical, plain, and forcible manner, that always makes a deep impression on the minds of his hearers, and causes his addresses to be so universally appreciated and admired whenever and wherever delivered. The Rev. Mr. Blackstock next came forward and spoke to the audience for some time in the able manner for which he is noted, and engaged the attention of the audience by his well chosen timely remarks.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS—PORT OF NAPANEE.

IMPORTS.

Nov. 29th.—Sc. Highland Beauty, Oswego, A. N. Diamond, 50 tons coal. Sc. Nellie Teresa, Oswego, Rathbun & Son, 25 brls salt, 3 brls. flour, 20 bags feed, 1 splitting machine.

PER G. T. RAILWAY.

Nov. 29th.—Via Windsor, John F. Empey, 1 pa. Dec. 2nd,—via Toronto, Slaven & Ironside 1 case, 1 bale; H. Close, 1 bx. Dec. 4th,—via Toronto, J. H. Gould, 2 pa.; via Kingston, A. McLeod, 2 cases; F. W. Smith, 1 bd.

EXPORTS.

Nov. 28th. Sc. L. B. Stone, Sackets Harbor, Rathbun & Son, 56,000 ft. lumber, 22 m. lath. Sc. E. Hall, Oswego, Rathbun & Son, 86,000 ft. lumber.

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YACHTING.

The Countess of Dufferin still remains unsold, and Major Gifford, it is understood, is likely to be a heavy loser by spirited undertaking to whip the champion yacht of the New York Club. properly sailed and trimmed, the American authorities agree that Countess could next year give them serious trouble. Under these circumstances we are not surprised to hear several gentlemen have it in contention to buy and equip the Countess, which is sure to turn out a more successful trial of her speed. The price as for her is so moderate that we need despair of patriotic sportsmen being found to improve the occasion.

A LADY SPEEDILY CURED.—by Pierce's Family Medicines, after 1 under medical treatment for two years which left her in an emaciated and feeble condition, with terrible sufferings from pain, and all hope of recovery given up.

Rome, N. Y., June 15, 1876.
Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.:

I feel it my duty to express my gratitude to you and the Divine Power that aided you in the study and acquirement means to relieve suffering. When I commenced the use of your medicines I was in a rapid decline. I had been under medical treatment for nearly two years. I had been obliged to wear an invalid supporter most of the time for five years, and for six or seven months previous to commencing the use of medicines I suffered intense pain almost constantly, nothing giving me even temporary relief (much of the time) except opium or morphine, the action of stomach and liver being almost destroyed by their use. I was rapidly growing weaker, losing in flesh, and could no nourishment, save a little beef-tea gruel, could sit up but a few minutes at a time, could not walk across the room, had formed the opinion that not could help me, but that I must leave my little children and family, the midst of my despondency, one of my circulars was brought into my room paid little attention to it, thinking of patent medicines, and supposing you were such; but, after throwing it away I was impressed to look at it again.

Religious.

The Rev. E. I. Badgely, B. D. L. L. D., will conduct the services in the M. E. Church, next Sabbath morning and evening.

Masonic Lecture.

A lecture is to be delivered by the Rev. A. J. O'Loughlin of Ottawa, on next Tuesday evening. Admission 25 cents.

Recovered.

Constable Storms, who was taken suddenly sick last Saturday with inflammation of the bowels, is again on duty.

Anniversary.

The Anniversary Services of the M. E. Church, Napanee, will be held on the 7th and 18th of December. Prominent and able speakers expected, see posters.

Crockery and Glassware Cheaper than ever. SMITH & ANDERSON.

Surgery.

On last Friday night, some party or parties effected an entrance to Messrs. Davis Bros. store, through a door in the rear, and carried off a suit of clothes, including an ulster overcoat. No trace of the thieves has yet been discovered.

Don't fail to call and inspect our goods before Purchasing Elsewhere.

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Residential Election.

Per Dominion Telegraph Co., Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—President Grant has just received a despatch from General Hew Wallace, at Tallahassee, Florida, stating that Florida has gone for Hayes by 980 majority, and also elected Republican Governor, Liet. Governor, and other Republican members of Congress.

Try Smith & Anderson's famous 50c tea.

Masonic.

At the annual meeting of Union Lodge No. 9, A. F. A. M., held in the Lodge room on Friday the first December. The following officers were elected:—R. Iatheson, Worshipful Master; Ogden Trench, Senior Warden; C. Perry, Junior Warden; J. C. Huffman, Treasurer; R. Irvine, Secretary; Rev. C. Wilson, Chaplain.

Remember we always keep the best goods in the Market and sell at Low prices.

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Accident.

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Tea from 25c. Up, at. SMITH & ANDERSONS.

Penny Readings.

At the meeting held in the Town Hall Tuesday night for the purpose of making arrangements to have penny readings for the poor of Napanee it was decided to give the first concert in the Town Hall next Monday night, by the Moral Union of which further particulars due notice will soon be given. Mayor Williams, with his usual discernment, is taking after the interests of the poor in anticipation of the coming hard winter.

December Fair.

A large crowd of people attended the fair on Tuesday. The show of cattle was very good, but we cannot say so much of the horses except that most of them made a good show of ribs, and considerable trading in horse—bones was the result. Whiskey drinking was freely indulged in. But strange to say there was little or no fighting, and no arrests worth noting.

Funeral Sermon.

The funeral sermon upon the death of the unfortunate young man, John Fringle, who was killed on the G. T. R., at Duffins' Creek, will be preached next Sunday, the 10th inst., in the C. M. Church, by the Rev. W. S. Blackstock.

TOWN COUNCIL.

At the meeting on Monday evening last, the following business was transacted.

J. Vernalstine released of his dog tax, as his dog had been poisoned shortly after assessed.

A petition from F. McPherson of Kingston and others, asking for remuneration for land taken up by the town, referred to Finance Committee. J. Sagers petition for relief from payment of taxes, referred to the Finance Committee. W. McMullen's petition also referred to the Finance Committee.

The Street Committee to enquire into W. Elliott's claim for breaking stone last fall.

Mr. R. McCay's collectors roll received, and referred to Finance Committee, \$50 appropriated to pay Mr. McCay's salary.

Mr. Huffman allowed further time to give in his Finance Committee report. Mr. Henry & Bros., account for printing, referred to the Printing Committee. The account of the McMullen estate ordered to be paid.

Street pay list amounting to \$41.63 passed.

Mr. Gleason to have \$3 per head for sheep killed by dogs.

The Fire and Water to exercise their judgement in the matter of purchasing an extension fire ladder.

Street Committee to see about land taken from different parties to widen the Tyendinaga road.

About this time in the meeting, the business of the town merged into personalities.

Three hundred dollars claimed from the Gas Company for damage done to the streets, but to be left in obedience until spring opens, when that damage can be more accurately estimated.

The polling places for our next municipal election as follows:—

East Ward—J. A. Hawley's shop. Returning officer, Henry Perry.

Center Ward—Town Hall, Andrew Fraser's house. Returning officer, P. Embury, and Andrew Fraser.

West Ward—Mr. F. Lane's office, and Mr. Light's shop. Returning officers, J. McCay, and M. T. Rogers.

The Fire Committee to purchase two lanterns, and the belfry to be repaired.

H. B. Rathbuns account of \$387.30, referred to Street committee.—Adjourned.

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becoming more interested, I wrote you, thinking it useless to purchase any of the medicines before stating my case to you fully. Your reply gave me so much encouragement that I commenced the use of your Favorite Prescription. Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Purgative Pellets, according to the printed directions accompanying them. Their effect upon me, and the struggle to rid my system of those poisonous drugs, was indeed wonderful. Some of the time my body has been completely covered with a rash. I can eat and sleep well; walked to church y-sterday morning, besides a block in the afternoon, without any supporter, and I consider myself almost entirely well.

With untold gratitude.

Mrs. T. A. Seymour.

Don't Know WHAT TO DO.—We sometimes hear persons say, "my horse is sadly out of condition, and I cannot tell either what is the matter with him, or how to get him into better order;" they appear to be ignorant of the fact that there is withing their reach a remedy safe, sure, and effectual in all cases. Many persons who deal in horses use large quantities of it, and testify that its effects are most satisfactory. One horse dealer informs us that his horse's condition and appearance are so much improved by its use that they sell more readily and for higher prices. The article is "Darley's Condition Powders and Arabian Heave Remedy." Nothing else is equal to it for the same purpose. Remember the name and see that the signature of Hurd & Co. is on each package. Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, Ont., proprietors for Canada. Sold by all medicine dealers.

Thousands of people are now carelessly allowing themselves to drift through the preliminary symptoms of consumption, under the fatal delusion that they are troubled with nothing but a "slight cold." How necessary is it, then, that a cold should be cared for from its incipency, and every exertion used to get rid of it. "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" will stop the hacking cough in a few minutes and by their influence on the bronchial and pulmonary organs all fears of dangerous results will soon be dissipated—but they must be taken in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents per box.

BIRTH.

McREA—On Sunday morning, Dec. 3rd, the wife of Mr. D. McRea, of Mill Point, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

STEWART—GRACY—At the residence of the bride's father, Mill Point, by the Rev. Mr. Craig, Presbyterian Minister, Mr. George Stewart of Selby, to Mary Jane Gracy, only daughter of Edward Gracy, Esq. The happy couple left at noon, with their attendants for the West. They have the best wishes of the vicinity at large.

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NOTICE.

A MEETING of the Municipal Electors of the Ernestown Corporation, will be held in the Drill Shed, in Odessa, on Friday, the 22nd Day of Dec. Next, At Twelve O'clock, Noon, to Nominate Candidates for one Reeve, one First Deputy Reeve, and one Second Deputy Reeve, and two Councilors, to serve in the Council of Ernestown, during the year 1877.
Dated this 29th Nov., 1876.
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the party. The attendance was very large, nearly 200 members. The subject for debate on Wednesday night, will be:—"Which are the works of Art?"

ch Dedication.
The new C. M. Church at Gretna, on the Morven and Port Circuit, will be opened on the 1st inst., in the afternoon, by a sermon from the Rev. James Elliott, ex-President of the Montreal Conference, following the dedicatory services, in which will be joined by several ministers. A tea meeting will be held in the evening, at which addresses will be given by the above Rev. Gentleman, other able ministers. Services on following Sabbath will be preached, during which further notice will be given.

Mathematical Master.
The session of the School Board, on Tuesday evening last, out of forty applicants, many of them from excellent families, the Board selected Mr. William B. A., of Applied Science, McUniversity, Montreal. Mr. Chipman's rank as a mathematician and scientist, is probably the most brilliant of student of McGill, as he obtained year in graduating, no less than first classes, besides a special certificate of merit. He has also had experience as a public school teacher, and is recommended as a teacher. We are glad to learn that the staff of the school is to be so ably sustained, wish Mr. Chipman the highest success in his new sphere.

Meeting.
The Soiree in the Presbyterian Church Wednesday evening, was a grand success. The tables in the basement of the church, where the edibles were provided, were filled twice, and everyone partook of good things furnished in a hearty manner. After the edibles were disposed of, all adjourned to the main body of the church to hear the speeches. The room was occupied by the Rev. Mr. Agnew, our resident minister. Mr. Blackstock, the C. M. Minister, Mr. Burton, of Thomas Street Presbyterian Church, Belleville, and Mr. M. McLean, of St. James Church, Belleville, an array of it such as is seldom brought together in time. Mr. Young, after some appropriate remarks introduced, Rev. Mr. Brown who gave what he called his General speech, which contained an immense amount of information, and was well received with marked interest. How managed to encompass so much in a short space of time, was really astonishing. The Rev. Mr. McLean, addressed the meeting in that logical, plain, and forcible manner, that always has a deep impression on the minds of hearers, and causes his addresses to be universally appreciated and admired never and wherever delivered. The Rev. Mr. Blackstock next came forward spoke to the audience for some time in a plain manner for which he is noted, engaged the attention of the audience in well chosen timely remarks.

PORTS AND EXPORTS--PORT OF NAPANEE.

IMPORTS.

Nov. 29th.--Se. Highland Beauty, 50 tons coal. N. N. Diamond, 50 tons coal. Nellie Teresa, Oswego, Rathbun & Co., 25 bbls. salt, 3 bbls. flour, 20 bags l. 1 splitting machine.

PER. G. T. RAILWAY.

Nov. 29th.--Via Windsor, John F. Peck, 1 pa. Dec. 2nd.--via Toronto, ven & Ironside 1 case, 1 bale; H. se. 1 bx. Dec. 4th.--via Toronto, J. Gould, 2 pa.; via Kingston, A. Leod, 2 cases; F. W. Smith, 1 bbl.

EXPORTS.

Nov. 28th. Se. L. B. Stone, Sackets, Rathbun & Son, 56,000 ft. lum. 22 m. lat. Se. E. Hall, Oswego, Rathbun & Son, 86,000 ft. lum.

A letter from Beamsville asking him if a person named Edward Wilson, who gave himself out to be a brother-in-law of his, was genuine. On enquiry being made Mr. Bickley denied all knowledge of such a person, and could not imagine who it could be. Yesterday, however, the mystery was cleared up. A gentleman from Beamsville happened to call upon the firm on business, and enquired if they had a traveller named Edward Wilson; they said "no," and enquired the reason for asking. The gentleman then told them that a person giving the name, and stating that he was a traveller of the firm, had been married at Beamsville, and had invited him to a champagne supper the night previous, to which he was unable to go. He gave a description of the young man, and he was at once recognized by Mr. Bickley as Edward Kapelle. He had been visiting Beamsville every Saturday for the last five weeks, and had ultimately married a respectable young lady there, whose name we withhold at present. The astonishment of the gentleman was great when he was informed that Kapelle *alias* Wilson had a wife in Hamilton. The father of the unfortunate first Mrs. Kapelle was communicated with, and from his story, no doubt was left of Wilson being Kapelle. He said that lately several people had called at his house, asking for Mr. Wilson, which name he believed Kapelle was giving. He knew also that he was in the habit of going frequently to Beamsville, as he had told his wife he was giving music lessons there. Mr. Presnell started for Beamsville last evening, but whether he succeeded in catching the bigamist or not is at present unknown.

YACHTING.

The Countess of Dufferin still remains unsold, and Major Gifford, it is understood, is likely to be a heavy loser by his spirited undertaking to whip the champion yacht of the New York Club. If properly sailed and trimmed, the best American authorities agree that the Countess could next year give them very serious trouble. Under these circumstances we are not surprised to hear that several gentlemen have it in contemplation to buy and equip the Countess for what is sure to turn out a more successful trial of her speed. The price asked for her is so moderate that we need not despair of patriotic sportsmen enough being found to improve the occasion.

A LADY SPEEDILY CURED.--by Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines, after being under medical treatment for two years, which left her in an emaciated and very feeble condition, with terrible suffering from pain, and all hope of recovery gone, writes:

Rome, N. Y., June 15, 1875.
Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.:

I feel it my duty to express my gratitude to you and the Divine Power that assisted you in the study and acquirement of means to relieve suffering. When I commenced the use of your medicines I was in a rapid decline. I had been under medical treatment for nearly two years--had been obliged to wear an internal supporter most of the time for four or five years, and for six or seven months previous to commencing the use of your medicines I suffered intense pain almost constantly, nothing giving me even momentary relief (much of the time) except opium or morphine, the action of my stomach and liver being almost destroyed by their use. I was rapidly growing weaker, losing in flesh, and could take no nourishment, save a little beef-tea or gruel, could sit up but a few minutes at a time, could not walk across the room, and had formed the opinion that nothing could help me, but that I must soon leave my little children and family. In the midst of my despondency, one of your circulars was brought into my room. I paid little attention to it, thinking little of patent medicines, and supposing yours were such; but, after throwing it aside, I was impressed to look at it again, and,

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SS, DEC. 8, 1876.

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Mrs. T. A. Seymour.

r KNOW WHAT TO DO.—We some- hear persons say, "my horse is ut of condition, and I cannot tell what is the matter with him, or get him into better order;" appear to be ignorant of the fact ere is within their reach a reme- fe, sure, and effectual in all cases. persons who deal in horses use untainties of it, and testify that its are most satisfactory. One horse informs us that his horse's condi- appearance are so much improv- ts use that they sell more readily higher prices. The article is y's Condition Powders and Arabian Remedy." Nothing else is equal the same purp-se. Remember ne and see that the signature of Co. is on each package. North- ymar, Toronto, Ont., proprietors ada. Sold by all medicine deal-

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MARRIED.

—GRACY—At the residence o de's father, Mill Point, by the Mr. Craig, Presbyterian Minister, eorge Stewart of Selby, to Mary iracy, only daughter of Edward , Esq. The happy couple left n, with their attendants for the They have the best wishes of the y at large.

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A MEETING of the Municipal Electors of the Ernestown Corporation, will be held in the Drill Shed, in Odessa, on

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At Twelve O'clock, Noon,

to Nominate Candidates for one Reeve, one First Deputy-Reeve, and one Second Deputy-Reeve, and two Councillors, to serve in the Council of Ernestown, during the year 1877.

Dated this 29th Nov., 1876.

ROBERT AYLSWORTH,
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Fine Worsted Coatings at \$3.00, sold last year at \$2.00.
Heavy double width Beaver at 1.4 at \$2.75.
Heavy double width Beaver at \$2 last year at \$2.50.
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Heavy trimmed Horse Rugs at year at \$1.00.
Heavy Wool Undershirts at \$1.00, sold last year at \$3.50.
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Ladies' heavy Felt Skirts, sold last year at \$6.50.
Ladies' Double Wool Skirts, sold last year at \$33.00.
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FEEDING DAIRY STOCK IN WINTER.

Mr. Willard, of the Rural New-Yorker, answers as follows some questions on this subject from an Illinois correspondent:

In comparing roots with other kinds of cattle food, like corn, bran, etc., we get better results, practically, from the roots than from any other kind of food. That is to say, a bushel of roots—though containing a lower percentage of nutritive element than a bushel of corn—may be so fed in connection with the corn as to give as good results as when the same quantity of corn is fed in place of the roots. This may seem an extraordinary statement to one who consults the tables of analysis of grains and roots for the latter, it will be seen, contain a large proportion of water in their composition, but from numerous experiments at the manger, the roots always show a better result than their analysis would seem to indicate. Livery men tell us that horses will do more work, have a sleeker coat, and be healthier when carrots are fed in connection with oats; and that three bushels of oats and one of carrots are better in their results than four bushels of oats.

Roots assist digestion and promote a more thorough assimilation of other foods. They improve the health of stock in winter when dry foods are the chief dependence and as the improved health of stock is an important element in dairy management, the dairyman will find it of advantage to grow roots for his stock. In New-York, the expense of growing turnips and mangolds is from 6 to 8c. per bushel. They ought to be grown much cheaper in Illinois, because the soil is easier worked, and is generally better adapted to root culture than most of the land in New-York. Our most successful dairymen are of the opinion that it pays well to raise roots for dairy stock, and we are quite certain it will pay to grow them in Illinois, even at the comparatively low price named for corn and bran. Roots promote a flow of milk, and as a spring ration for "cows in milk," if fed in connection with corn meal and bran, they will be found of very great advantage.

Corn meal, when fed alone, is not the best kind of food for cows in milk. It is of a too heating nature, and when fed in considerable quantities, is apt to derange health, inducing garget and other disorders. Dairy stock is often very much injured by injudicious feeding with this kind of food. If a liberal supply of roots is used in connection with corn meal, the diet will be improved, resulting in a more generous supply of milk and better health of stock.

Of the different kinds of roots usually raised for cattle, we find, on the whole, the best results are obtained from the yellow globe mangold. The mangold is an excellent keeper, and is, therefore, available late in spring. It gives no bad taste to the milk—an objection which is often urged against turnips; it grows well in a variety of soils; is not liable to attacks from all those insects; it is easily harvested, and from all these good qualities we should give it the preference. The parsnip makes excellent milk, but it is not so easily grown as the turnip or mangold.

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VARIOUS ITEMS.

The yellow fever epidemic in Savannah is now at an end.

The city of Montreal has about sixty cases before the courts, involving nearly \$32,500,000.

Apples sell in Winnipeg for nine dollars per barrel.

Mails between Toronto and Winnipeg now occupy ten days.

Montreal dealers are thinking about selling firewood by weight.

There are eight miles of gas and steam pipes in the Orillia asylum.

The Duchess of Edinburgh has been confined of a daughter at Malta.

St. Thomas is to have a Masonic Temple, to cost, including the land, \$20,000.

The Austrian and Hungarian Governments have prohibited the exportation of horses.

Conservative papers prate of Mr. Laflamme's overwhelming majority in 1872. That majority was 50.

Nine Presbyterian clergymen have already been obtained from among Sioux Indian converts.

Much lawlessness has prevailed within the past month, murder, incendiarism, and robberies being among the list of outrages.

Mr. W. Buck, of Brantford, has just filled a large order for steel ploughs, received through a New York firm, for the East Indies.

The by-law granting a bonus of \$15,000 to the Grand Trunk railway, to build an extension to Waterloo from Berlin, was carried in Waterloo on Monday.

Two hundred barrels of eggs are to be shipped to England by the Moravian. A similar venture in the spring turned out profitably.

The Erie railway commenced on Saturday, for the first time for a number of years, paying its employees promptly for the previous month.

A Dundas firm has sold a Centennial Turning Lathe to the New York Times. It beats all machines of its kind at the Centennial.

Rev. Mr. Reed, of London, is mentioned by the Ottawa Free Press as one of the temperance delegates. He is a school trustee when at home.

Mr. James Fahey is to lecture in Toronto against prohibition. There was a time when Mr. Fahey used his undoubted talents in a better cause.

The propositions to guarantee a loan of \$10,000 to assist in rebuilding the Couchiching hotel was rejected by the Orillia council at a late meeting of that body.

Lord Cecil and Captain Dunlop, Plymouth Brethren, who have been holding meetings for the past few weeks in Whitby, have been listened to by large numbers.

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The Grangers have something to learn as merchants. A Grange in the neighborhood of Port Hope, says the *Guide*, bought a quantity of nutmegs so much in excess of their wants that they have ten barrels of that fragrant commodity which they are anxious to be rid of.

One of the prettiest young ladies in New York society happened to be walking past Gov. Tilden's house the other day with another young woman. Said Miss Beauty: "Do you know how Tilden looks?" "Oh, yes," answered her friend, "he's not remarkable at all—rather short and plain." "Why!" said the beauty, innocently, "I fancied he was an awful handsome man—in fact, quite a Cyclops."

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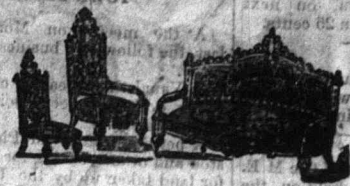
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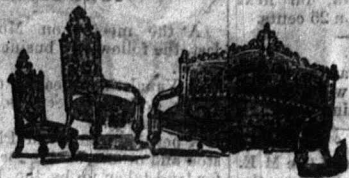
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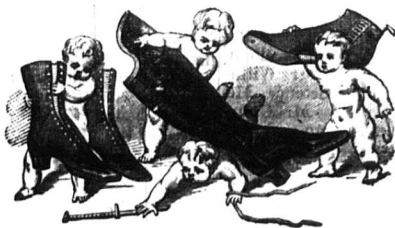
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